

June 12, 1975

Dear Mom & Dad,

We sold our house last Sunday! After having no luck with the realtor we put in an ad ourselves for the same price we paid for the house. There were a few calls and the first couple we showed it too said they wanted to buy it. They are living in an apartment in Stahlgren and need a house. Of course we haven't settled yet, but I have a deposit and expect everything to go smoothly.

Sunday evening we brought something to barbeque over to the clubhouse as usual. I started talking to a man who works for DOD at a station about a mile from the apartments. I told him Vickie was looking for a job and he said he would hire her. She would start as a GS-3 typist and in about three months have a good chance for a GS-5 or -7 professional position based on her degree. The work is in personnel. This sounded just fine except Vickie is qualified

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only for GS-2 on the basis of  
the test she took at Stahlgren.  
So she must improve her score  
and is quite nervous - which  
makes it hard to type without  
error. Hopefully she will pass  
the test since the job really seems  
like a good opportunity.

I'm going to Miami on Saturday  
prior to a ~~weekend~~ in Las Vegas.  
I'll be doing some tests out in the  
desert. After this trip maybe I'll  
stay home for a while. The pools  
are open and we have been  
playing a lot of tennis. Have  
had good weather except for rain  
today.

I don't know when we'll get a  
chance to visit if Vickie starts  
working. I, at least, will come  
back sometime this year.

Happy Father's Day to Dad. I  
had ~~to~~ intended to buy him an  
expensive gift, but decided to  
gamble the money away instead!  
Hope everyone is happy -  
Jim & Vickie

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